

CSE111:ORIENTATION TO COMPUTING

Mcq Questions:-

2. Which of the following is the correct abbreviation of COMPUTER?
 - a) Commonly Occupied Machines Used in Technical and Educational Research
 - b) Commonly Operated Machines Used in Technical and Environmental Research
 - c) Commonly Oriented Machines Used in Technical and Educational Research
 - d) Commonly Operated Machines Used in Technical and Educational Research
3. Which of the following is the correct definition of Computer?
 - a) Computer is a machine or device that can be programmed to perform arithmetical or logic operation sequences automatically
 - b) Computer understands only binary language which is written in the form of 0s & 1s
 - c) Computer is a programmable electronic device that stores, retrieves, and processes the data
 - d) All of the mentioned
4. What is the full form of CPU?
 - a) Computer Processing Unit
 - b) Computer Principle Unit
 - c) Central Processing Unit
 - d) Control Processing Unit
5. Which of the following language does the computer understand?
 - a) Computer understands only C Language
 - b) Computer understands only Assembly Language
 - c) Computer understands only Binary Language
 - d) Computer understands only BASIC
6. Which of the following computer language is written in binary codes only?
 - a) pascal
 - b) machine language
 - c) C
 - d) C#
7. Which of the following is the brain of the computer?
 - a) Central Processing Unit
 - b) Memory
 - c) Arithmetic and Logic unit
 - d) Control unit
8. Which of the following is not a characteristic of a computer?
 - a) Versatility
 - b) Accuracy
 - c) Diligence

d) I.Q.

9. Which of the following is the smallest unit of data in a computer?

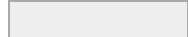
- a) Bit
- b) KB
- c) Nibble
- d) Byte

10. Which of the following unit is responsible for converting the data received from the user into a computer understandable format?

- a) Output Unit
- b) Input Unit
- c) Memory Unit
- d) Arithmetic & Logic Unit

11. Which of the following monitor looks like a television and are normally used with non-portable computer systems?

- a) LED
- b) LCD
- c) CRT
- d) Flat Panel Monitors



12. Which of the following is not a type of computer code?

- a) EDIC
- b) ASCII
- c) BCD
- d) EBCDIC

13. Which of the following part of a processor contains the hardware necessary to perform all the operations required by a computer?

- a) Controller
- b) Registers
- c) Cache
- d) Data path

14. Which of the following is designed to control the operations of a computer?

- a) User
- b) Application Software
- c) System Software
- d) Utility Software

15. Which of the following device use positional notation to represent a decimal number?

- a) Pascaline
- b) Abacus
- c) Computer
- d) Calculator

16. Which of the following is used in EBCDIC?

- a) Super Computers
- b) Mainframes
- c) Machine Codes

d) Programming

17. Which of the following are physical devices of a computer?

- a) Hardware
- b) Software
- c) System Software
- d) Package

18. Which of the following defines the assigned ordering among the characters used by the computer?

- a) Accumulation
- b) Sorting
- c) Collating Sequence
- d) Unicode

19. Which of the following storage is a system where a robotic arm will connect or disconnect off-line mass storage media according to the computer operating system demands?

- a) Magnetic
- b) Secondary
- c) Virtual
- d) Tertiary

20. Which of the following is known as the interval between the instant a computer makes a request for the transfer of data from a disk system to the primary storage and the instance the operation is completed?

- a) Disk utilization time
- b) Drive utilization time
- c) Disk access time
- d) Disk arrival time

21. Which of the following devices provides the communication between a computer and the outer world?

- a) Compact
- b) I/O
- c) Drivers
- d) Storage

22. Which of the following are the input devices that enable direct data entry into a computer system from source documents?

- a) System Access devices
- b) Data acquiring devices
- c) Data retrieving devices
- d) Data Scanning devices

23. Which of the following is the device used for converting maps, pictures, and drawings into digital form for storage in computers?

- a) Image Scanner
- b) Digitizer
- c) MICR
- d) Scanner

24. Which of the following can access the server?

- a) Web Client
- b) User
- c) Web Browser
- d) Web Server

25. Which of the following is known as the language made up of binary-coded instructions?

- a) High level
- b) BASIC
- c) C
- d) Machine

26. Which of the following package allows individuals to use personal computers for storing and retrieving their personal information?

- a) Personal assistance package
- b) Graphics package
- c) Spreadsheet package
- d) Animation package

27. Which of the following is created when a user opens an account in the computer system?

- a) SFD
- b) MFD
- c) Subdirectory
- d) RFD

28. Which of the following is a technique that marked the beginning of computer communications?

- a) User Environment
- b) Batch Environment
- c) Time Sharing
- d) Message passing

29. Which of the following is a type of technique in which dumb terminals are connected to a central computer system?

- a) Time Sharing
- b) Message passing
- c) Batch environment
- d) User environment

30. Which of the following service allows a user to log in to another computer somewhere on the Internet?

- a) e-mail
- b) UseNet
- c) Telnet
- d) FTP

31. Which of the following is not a type of computer on the basis of operation?

- a) Digital
- b) Analog
- c) Hybrid

d) Remote

32. Which of the following type of computer is mostly used for automatic operations?

- a) analog
- b) digital
- c) hybrid
- d) remote

33. Which of the following invention gave birth to the much cheaper microcomputers?

- a) PDAs
- b) Microprocessors
- c) Microcomputers
- d) Mainframes

34. Which of the following computers are lower than mainframe computers in terms of speed and storage capacity?

- a) Mainframes
- b) Hybrid
- c) Mini
- d) Super

35. Which of the following is the first neural network computer?

- a) AN
- b) AM
- c) RFD
- d) SNARC

1. Which of the following is not a type of number system?

- a) Positional
- b) Non-Positional
- c) Octal
- d) Fractional

2. How is the number 5 represented in non-positional number system?

- a) IIIII
- b) 5
- c) V
- d) v

3. The base is the total number of digits in a number system.

- a) True
- b) False

4. The LSB and MSB of 1243247 are ____ and ____

- a) 1, 7
- b) 4, 7
- c) 7, 1
- d) 4, 1

5. A device that uses positional notation to represent a decimal number.

- a) Abacus
- b) Calculator

- c) Pascaline
- d) Computer

6. The 2's complement of 5 is _____

- a) 1011
- b) 0101
- c) 1010
- d) 0011

7. What does BCD stand for?

- a) Bitwise coded decimal
- b) Binary coded decimal
- c) Binary converted decimal
- d) Bitwise Converted Decimal

8. 1 zettabyte = _____

- a) 1024 TB
- b) 1024 EB
- c) 1024 ZB
- d) 1024 PB

9. Perform BCD addition: $2+3=$ _____

- a) 0010
- b) 0011
- c) 0101
- d) 1010

10. ASCII stands for _____

- a) American standard code for information interchange
- b) American scientific code for information interchange
- c) American scientific code for international interchange
- d) American standard code of international interchange

This set of Computer Fundamentals Interview Questions and Answers for freshers focuses on "The Decimal Number System".

1. The value of base in a decimal number system is _____

- a) 8
- b) 2
- c) 10
- d) 16

2. Convert : $(110)_2 = (\quad)_{10}$.

- a) 4
- b) 5
- c) 6
- d) 9

3. The 2's complement of 15 is _____

- a) 0000

- b) 0001
- c) 0010
- d) 0100

4. Another name for base is _____

- a) root
- b) radix
- c) entity
- d) median

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5. The decimal equivalent of $(0.101)_2$ will be _____

- a) 0.5
- b) 0.625
- c) 0.25
- d) 0.875

6. The signed magnitude for -3 will be _____

- a) 00000011
- b) 10000011
- c) 11111101
- d) 11111100

7. A number with both integer and a fractional part has digits raised to both positive and negative powers of 2 in a decimal number system.

- a) True
- b) False

8. The hexadecimal representation of 14 is _____

- a) A
- b) F
- c) D
- d) E

9. Which of the following is not a decimal number?

- a) 114
- b) 43.47
- c) 99.9A
- d) 10101

10. Select the incorrect option:

- a) $(101)_{10} = (1100101)_2$
- b) G is valid in hexadecimal system.
- c) C represents 12
- d) The base of a decimal number system is 10.

1. Which of the following is not a positional number system?

- a) Roman Number System
- b) Octal Number System
- c) Binary Number System
- d) Hexadecimal Number System

2. The value of radix in binary number system is _____
- a) 2
 - b) 8
 - c) 10
 - d) 1
3. The binary equivalent of the decimal number 10 is _____
- a) 0010
 - b) 10
 - c) 1010
 - d) 010
4. A computer language that is written in binary codes only is _____
- a) machine language
 - b) C
 - c) C#
 - d) pascal
5. The octal equivalent of 1100101.001010 is _____
- a) 624.12
 - b) 145.12
 - c) 154.12
 - d) 145.21
6. The input hexadecimal representation of 1110 is _____
- a) 0111
 - b) E
 - c) 15
 - d) 14
7. A bit in a computer terminology means either 0 or 1.
- a) True
 - b) False
8. Convert the binary equivalent 10101 to its decimal equivalent.
- a) 21
 - b) 12
 - c) 22
 - d) 31
9. Which of the following is not a binary number?
- a) 1111
 - b) 101
 - c) 11E
 - d) 000
10. Which of the following is the correct representation of a binary number?
- a) $(124)_2$
 - b) 1110
 - c) $(110)^2$
 - d) $(000)_2$

1. What could be the maximum value of a single digit in an octal number system?
 - a) 8
 - b) 7
 - c) 6
 - d) 5
2. In a number system, each position of a digit represents a specific power of the base.
 - a) True
 - b) False
3. The maximum number of bits sufficient to represent an octal number in binary is _____
 - a) 4
 - b) 3
 - c) 7
 - d) 8
4. The binary number 111 in octal format is _____
 - a) 6
 - b) 7
 - c) 8
 - d) 5
5. Convert $(22)_8$ into its corresponding decimal number.
 - a) 28
 - b) 18
 - c) 81
 - d) 82
6. The octal equivalent of the binary number $(0010010100)_2$ is _____
 - a) 422
 - b) 242
 - c) 224
 - d) 226
7. Octal subtraction of $(232)_8$ from $(417)_8$ will give _____
 - a) 165
 - b) 185
 - c) 815
 - d) 516
8. The 1's complement of 0.101 is _____
 - a) 1.010
 - b) 0.010
 - c) 0.101
 - d) 1.101
9. Convert $(5401)_8$ to hexadecimal.
 - a) A01
 - b) A02
 - c) B01

d) C01

10. Express the decimal format of the signed binary number $(10010)_2$.

- a) 2
- b) 12
- c) -12
- d) -2

1. What does the symbol D represent in a hexadecimal number system?

- a) 8
- b) 16
- c) 13
- d) 14

2. ABC is a valid hexadecimal number.

- a) True
- b) False

3. The maximum number of bits sufficient to represent a hexadecimal number in binary:

- a) 4
- b) 3
- c) 7
- d) 8

4. The binary number 1110 in hexadecimal format is _____

- a) 6
- b) E
- c) 14
- d) 15

5. Convert $(52)_{16}$ into its decimal equivalent.

- a) 28
- b) 83
- c) 80
- d) 82

6. The hexadecimal equivalent of the binary number $(0010010100)_2$ is :

- a) $(094)_{16}$
- b) $(0A4)_{16}$
- c) 224
- d) 0114

7. Hexadecimal Addition of $(3A5)_{16}$ and $(1B2)_{16}$ will give :

- a) 557
- b) 185
- c) 815
- d) 516

8. The 2's complement of 10.11 :

- a) 10
- b) 0.010
- c) 01.01

d) 10.01

9. Convert $(6532)_8$ to hexadecimal.

- a) $(A01)_{16}$
- b) $(A02)_{16}$
- c) $(D5A)_{16}$
- d) $(C01)_{16}$

10. What do we call the point(decimal) in any hexadecimal number of the form 111.A3?

- a) radix
- b) hexadecimal point
- c) decimal
- d) octal point

1. Which of the following is not a data type?

- a) Symbolic Data
- b) Alphanumeric Data
- c) Numeric Data
- d) Alphabetic Data

2. *@Ac# is a type of _____ data.

- a) Symbolic
- b) Alphanumeric
- c) Alphabetic
- d) Numeric

3. Which of the following is not a valid representation in bits?

- a) 8-bit
- b) 24-bit
- c) 32-bit
- d) 64-bit

4. What are the entities whose values can be changed called?

- a) Constants
- b) Variables
- c) Modules
- d) Tokens

5. Which of the following is not a basic data type in C language?

- a) float
- b) int
- c) real
- d) char

6. BOOLEAN is a type of data type which basically gives a tautology or fallacy.

- a) True
- b) False

7. What does FORTRAN stands for?

- a) Formula Transfer
- b) Formula Transformation
- c) Formula Translation

d) Format Transformation

8. The program written by the programmer in high level language is called

- a) Object Program
- b) Source Program
- c) Assembled Program
- d) Compiled Program

9. A standardized language used for commercial applications.

- a) C
- b) Java
- c) COBOL
- d) FORTRAN

10. _____ define how the locations can be used.

- a) Data types
- b) Attributes
- c) Links
- d) Data Objects

1. A group of bits used to represent a symbol is called a _____

- a) byte
- b) memory
- c) nibble
- d) code

Answer: a

2. BCD uses 6 bits to represent a symbol.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: b

3. Which of the following is not a type of computer code?

- a) EBCDIC
- b) BCD
- c) ASCII
- d) EDIC

Answer: d

4. The BCD representation of $(34)_{10}$ is _____

- a) 6
- b) 7
- c) 8
- d) 5

Answer: c

5. Perform BCD addition of $(23)_{BCD} + (20)_{BCD}$.

- a) 00110100

- b) 01000011
- c) 10011
- d) 11100

Answer: b

6. The weights used in Binary coded decimal code are:

- a) 4,2,1
- b) 8,4,2,1
- c) 6,4,2,1
- d) 2,1

Answer: b

7. Write the decimal equivalent for $(110001)_{BCD}$.

- a) 31
- b) 13
- c) C1
- d) 1C

Answer: a

8. The 9's complement of 45 is _____

- a) 45
- b) 54
- c) 64
- d) 46

Answer: b

9. The 10's complement of 455 is _____

- a) 543
- b) 544
- c) 545
- d) 546

Answer: c

10. The Excess-3 representation of $(0100)_{BCD}$ is _____

- a) 0110
- b) 1110
- c) 0111
- d) 1100

Answer: c

1. What does EBCDIC stand for?

- a) Extended Binary Converted Decimal Intermediate Code
- b) Extended Binary Coded Decimal Intermediate Code
- c) Extended Binary Coded Decimal Interchange Code
- d) Extended Binary Converted Decimal Interchange Code

Answer: c

2. In EBCDIC, a maximum of 128 different characters can be represented.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: b

3. The EBCDIC code for the character A is _____

- a) digit : 1100 zone : 0001
- b) digit : 1111 zone : 0001
- c) digit : 1100 zone : 1010
- d) digit : 1111 zone : 1010

Answer: a

4. The hex representation for F is _____

- a) C6
- b) C5
- c) D6
- d) D1

Answer: a

5. In EBCDIC, D5 is used to represent _____ character.

- a) J
- b) N
- c) O
- d) K

Answer: b.

6. Which of the following is not a character of the digit 1110?

- a) S
- b) Z
- c) O
- d) X

Answer: c

7. What is the hexadecimal equivalent of the digit 9?

- a) E9
- b) F9
- c) G9
- d) H9

Answer: b

8. The characters from 0 to 9 have their common digit as _____

- a) 1111
- b) 0000
- c) 0001
- d) 1000

Answer: a.

9. The EBCDIC is mainly used in _____

- a) Programming
- b) Machine Codes

- c) Mainframes
 - d) Super Computers
- Answer: c

10. Which of the following character is available in EBCDIC but not in ASCII?

- a) cent sign
- b) dollar sign
- c) comma
- d) punctuation

Answer: a

1. What does ASCII stand for?

- a) American Standard Code for Information Interchange
- b) American Scientific Code for Information Interchange
- c) American Scientific Code for Interchanging Information
- d) American Standard Code for Interchanging Information

Answer: a

2. The decimal representation for the character '!' in ASCII is _____

- a) 31
- b) 32
- c) 33
- d) 34

Answer: c

3. The two types of ASCII are _____ and _____

- a) ASCII-4 and ASCII-8
- b) ASCII-8 and ASCII-16
- c) ASCII-7 and ASCII-8
- d) ASCII-4 and ASCII-16

Answer: c

4. Any set of digits or alphabets are generally referred as _____

- a) Characters
- b) Symbols
- c) Bits
- d) Bytes

Answer: a

5. The first 128 characters are the same in both the types of ASCII i.e. ASCII-7 and ASCII-8.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: a

6. The number of characters that can be represented in ASCII-8 are _____

- a) 128
- b) 256
- c) 32
- d) 64

Answer: b

7. The zone of alphabetic characters from A to O in ASCII is _____

- a) 1000
- b) 0100
- c) 0010
- d) 0001

Answer: b

8. The representation of the number 8 in binary in ASCII-8 format _____

- a) 00111000
- b) 01001000
- c) 1000
- d) 00011000

Answer: a

9. Binary Coding for the letter X is _____

- a) 01011000
- b) 00111000
- c) 10001000
- d) 00010100

Answer: a

10. Express the ASCII equivalent of the signed binary number $(00110010)_2$.

- a) 2
- b) 1
- c) A
- d) ,

Answer: a